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OPERATION OF GAS PLANT TO START APRIL 1

Extraction of Gasoline From Casinghead Gas in South Vernon Field To Be Started By Humble Company in Few Days.

The gasoline plant of the Humble Oil and Refining Company for extracting gasoline from casinghead gas in the South Vernon field will be ready to begin operations about April 1, according to present indications. The buildings have been completed, supply lines are being run to various leases in the fields and the main pipe line from the plant to the loading tracks on the Fort Worth & Denver tracks just east of the city has been completed.

The finishing touches are being put on the machinery for the six units which will be in readiness to start active operations within the next few days. It is already apparent that the initial capacity of the plant will not be able to take care of the casinghead gas from the wells now producing and work on the installation of the seventh unit has been started. This will be put in operation as soon as completed.

The casinghead plant is the first big industrial enterprise that has been attracted to Vernon because of the oil developments. Local officials of the company have not stated just how large an investment is represented in the casinghead plant and the necessary pipe lines, but it is known to be in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

In addition to the casinghead plant, the Humble company was the first of the big companies to evidence a belief in the stability of the field when a big tank farm and a pipe line from the field were put in. A further evidence of the faith of the Humble in the field is furnished in the purchase and development of a 40-acre lease on the R. L. Castlebury lands, where the rich possibilities of the 1300-foot sand were first uncovered.

Delegates Are Chosen To Go To Conference

Delegates to the district conference of the Methodist church, which meets at Paducah Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week were named at the quarterly conference, Wednesday night at the local Methodist church. They are E. H. Pigg, W. H. Stephens, Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, Mrs. L. E. McCurdy. Others who are delegates because of the offices they hold in the church are: U. S. Davis, district steward; J. A. Harrington, charge lay leader; R. D. I. Killough, Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. O. P. Clark, district secretary; Woman's Missionary society; L. G. Hawkins and W. D. Berry, district trustees; Judge E. L. McHugh, recording steward; G. W. Backus, district lay leader.

Rev. O. P. Clark, presiding elder of the district, presided at the quarterly conference. A splendid report was received from each department of the local church. Forty-seven additions were made to the church since the last quarterly conference.

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR FARMER-BUSINESS BANQUET

Everything has been prepared to make a success of the first of a series of farmer-business men's banquet to be held at Elliott at 7:45 this evening, according to R. M. Fielder, secretary of the local chamber of commerce. The program has been worked out.

Mr. Jones of the Medicine Experiment station, will be the principal speaker of the evening. The Elliott band will furnish a musical program for the occasion.

The menu for the banquet is in charge of Miss Emma Gunter, local home demonstration agent. The menu as advanced follows:

Chicken and Dressing
Giblet Gravy
Peas
Potatoes
Vegetable Salad
Ice Cream
Coffee

Levy's Brother Badly Burned.
E. M. Levy received a message yesterday, stating that his brother at Brownfield had been badly burned and that little hope was held out as to his recovery. The particulars of the accident were not learned. Mr. Levy left at once for Brownfield.

Confesses Wholesale Murder Plot



MR. & MRS. FRED C. GLENKE & (Below) PROSECUTOR JOSEPH A. SEYMOUR

Mrs. Joseph Seymour, forty-three, of Medina, O., has confessed to Prosecutor Martha Seymour (left), that she put arsenic in a water bucket in her home, resulting in the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Glenke, Mrs. Wise's uncle and aunt (shown above), and Mrs. Sophie Hasel, her mother, and the serious illness of several others of the family.

LOAN OFFICE IS ANNOUNCED

TERRELL AND STOKES WILL HAVE CHARGE OF BRANCH OF WICHITA CONCERN

The local real estate firm of Terrell & Stokes will have charge of the branch office of the Wichita Falls Building and Loan Association being established here for the purpose of making loans on local property. A fund has already been placed on deposit with Vernon banks and is available for loans, according to an announcement made a short time ago when it was decided to open a branch office of the Association here.

S. G. Stokes of the firm of Terrell & Stokes will give special attention to the affairs of the branch office, in addition to the real estate interests of the firm. He spent several days in Wichita Falls this week familiarizing himself with the detailed operations in order to be able to take care of the business of the branch office.

In addition to making loans the operations of the Association here will be confined to the sale of investment shares, which is in the nature of savings accounts on which interest is paid. Loans are made only to shareholders in the Association. It has grown in the past few years to be one of the strongest institutions of its kind in the state, according to Mr. Stokes.

FRIENDS SURPRISE AGED WOMAN WITH PARTY

Friends of Mrs. Helen Schuette surprised her with a party last night on her seventy-first birthday. More than fifty people dropped in about 8 o'clock, bringing with them near two score cakes. Sandwiches were soon prepared, and those present feasted on sandwiches and cake until a late hour, going home near 1 a. m.

At the age of 71, Mrs. Schuette is still healthy and able to do her own work. She has spent twenty years of her life here and is now living with her son, Fred Schuette of this city.

Among those surprising Mrs. Schuette were: Joe Forster and family, Ben Graf and family, Alvin Dremmer and family, Henry Hildebrandt and family, Gus Kahl and family, Louis Kahl and family, Johnnie Hingst and family, Arthur Hingst and family, Mrs. McKinney, and a son, J. C. Schuette of Lubbock.

SOUTH VERNON OIL FIELD WORKER IS INJURED

C. C. Crawford, oil field worker, was painfully bruised about the face yesterday while working on a rig in the South Vernon oil field. He was taking up the screw when the handle bar slipped, striking him just above the right eye, cutting a deep gash and at the same time fracturing the cheek bone and throwing him several feet. He is able to be out, but had a narrow escape from being killed.

HIGH TEAM TO BE IN CONTEST

LOCAL ATHLETES TO MEET WICHITA, ELECTRA, HAROLD, ARCHER CITY.

Vernon High school cinder and field athletes will take part in a five-cornered meet at Electra next Saturday. Coach Baggett intends to take twelve men to Electra for the meet. Electra, Harold, Archer City, and Wichita Falls will be the other contenders in the meet.

Strong competition is expected in several of the events. Harold will no doubt be a strong contender, featuring Bill Clinch, cinder path star who tied for high point honors in the Southwestern Exposition track and field meet held at Fort Worth a short time ago. With a few strong supporters, Clinch will no doubt cop several points for his school.

Wichita and Archer City are the dark horses of the contest. Neither of these schools have displayed their ability on the field this year. It is whispered that they are keeping some strong contenders under cover. Electra made a poor showing in the Southwestern meet, but they are expected to do better in Saturday's contest.

Perfect Plans for Big Sales Monday April 6

Local merchants met yesterday and agreed on the final details of the co-operative special selling campaign to be held here Monday, April 6, and preparations are being made for the biggest single day of merchandising in the history of Vernon. The Record will carry special advertising in the issue preceding first Monday and each merchant co-operating in the plan will carry one extraordinary special value for that day, the different merchants will each carry a different special in order that there will be no overlapping of effort in this respect.

In addition to the specials offered for first Monday other advertising will be carried on the regular stocks and the advantages of Vernon as a shopping center for this section. The Record will be sent into every home in the radius of what is considered Vernon's trade territory and it is expected that large crowds will be attracted here for that day.

REV. KOPP TALKS TO STUDENTS AT THOMPSON

Rev. L. P. Kopp of the First Christian church of Vernon visited the Thompson school on last Monday morning and gave a very interesting address. He did not have any named subject, but based his talk upon his own experience and the experiences of his friends and in that way gave the pupils a very good lesson in striving for the best in life. He urged that everyone make a genuine success of his or her chosen profession.

BIG CONCERN WILL LOCATE BRANCH HERE

Building and Loan Association Will Open Office in Vernon—Prominent Bankers of City Appointed Advisers To Pass on Local Business.

Announcement has been made that the Guaranty State Building and Loan Association of Wichita Falls, with an authorized capital of \$10,000,000 will establish a branch office in Vernon. An advisory board has already been appointed in this city. W. C. Hamilton, vice president of the association, was here yesterday making final arrangements.

The local advisory board follows: J. C. Sumner, lumberman and director of the Herring National Bank; Emory Rhoads, active vice president of Farmers State Bank; Wallace H. Huggins, assistant cashier of Waggoner National Bank; L. D. Terrell, local real estate man. A. J. Schell has been appointed special local representative. He will be field man for the Guaranty State organization here.

The association will loan money to home-builders at a low rate of interest on real estate securities. Loans will also be made on business properties, but loans to home-builders and home-owners will be given preference. The Guaranty State Building and Loan association also offers an opportunity for reliable investment. Investments made with the association will be loaned on Vernon property.

With the organization of this branch, all needs may be met that now exist in Vernon for additional building and loan facilities due to the substantial growth experienced by the city during the last few months. The association announces that it will be able to take care of any size loan at any time.

DECLAMATION CONTESTS HELD AT RURAL SCHOOLS

Schools over the county are making preparations for the county meet to be held here on April 4 and 5. Semi-finals are being held all over the county. Declamation contests were held at Odell and Red Valley last Friday.

Winners at Odell were: Juniors, Miss Aramava Stringer, first place; Mary Ruth Shelton, second; Clovia Lila Couch, third. Winners of senior contest are: Gladys Bratcher, first; Madelle Smith, second; Opal McDougal, third. The judges were from Chillicothe.

Red Valley winners as announced are: Junior boys, Aubrey Bell, first place; Clifton Cook, second place, and Wayne Bell, third. Winners of junior girls contest: Jessie Morris, first; Beatrice Rodgers, second; Opal Mae Turner, third. Mr. Stringer, Mrs. Stringer and Miss Kirby of Odell were judges of the contests.

MISS VERA SCALES IS HONORED AT COLLEGE

Miss Vera Scales of Vernon, who is attending Maryville college, in Tennessee, has received several honors this year. She is president of the Y. W. C. A. and by virtue of her office will take two trips, one to North Carolina and one to Indianapolis.

She is editor of the college annual and secretary of the students' council. She is majoring in English and studying art and expression. Miss Scales makes her home here with her uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Moore, and will spend her vacation here, returning about the first of June.

GAINESVILLE MAN BUYS FILLING STATION

Carl Cook of Gainesville has purchased the equipment of the S. and S. Service Station on the Colorado and Gulf Highway from Fred Schuette, and will operate the station after April 1. It is thought that Mr. Cook will make a tourist camping ground just back of the filling station, and provide all conveniences for travelers.

Mr. Schuette still owns the property on which the station is located, and he does not intend to leave the city.

Miss Hayden Visits in Vernon.
Miss Maude Lee Hayden of College Station, district home demonstration agent, is in Vernon this week visiting Miss Emma Gunter, local agent. Miss Hayden is returning from Childress where she conducted a short home-work school.

BUILDING BOOM ON IN VERNON IS INCREASING

Three New Bricks on Tolar Street and Numbers of Other Houses in all Parts of the City Going Up—Valued From \$1500 Up.

R. I. Jones, local contractor and Mrs. Clara White are erecting three brick buildings on Nabers street at an approximate cost of \$30,000.

Two of the buildings are owned jointly by the contractor and Mrs. White and the central story and a half building is owned by Mr. Jones and will be occupied by him as a home.

The house south of the Jones home is to be a duplex and the other house is two story and will be used for an apartment house.

A heating plant will be installed in the basement of the central house which will heat all the apartments of the three houses. Electric heaters will be installed in all the bath rooms of the three houses, and will have every modern convenience.

The dimensions of the three houses are: for the Jones home, 38 X55, the duplex, 32X52, and the apartment house, 34X58. The walls are up for the duplex, the foundation is laid for the Jones homes and contract is let for the \$15,000 apartment house.

Many residences are being built in all parts of the town for homes, or to be rented, ranging in prices from \$1200, to \$10,000.

Among the homes now in course of erection are: John Lee McCarty, five-room bungalow in Hillcrest Heights; Rev. R. G. Hughes, bungalow, in West Vernon; W. E. Gandy, five room bungalow, at Wheeler and Yamparika. J. W. Coffee and Joe Petty each, a five-room bungalow on Bowie street.

Blake Lewis has a five-room house under construction on East Wichita street.

Frazier Bell has the foundation laid for a modern five-room bungalow with sleeping porch and breakfast room, next door to the new home of Chancy Puckett on Tolar street.

LOCAL WOMAN IS CONFIRMED

MISS LORA LONG ORDAINED HOME MISSIONARY AT TULSA MEET

Mrs. O. P. Clark, district secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society, of the West Texas Conference of the Methodist church, returned this week from Tulsa, Okla., where she attended the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Mrs. Clark was present at the confirmation of seventeen missionaries by Bishop James Cannon, Jr., Monday afternoon. The ceremony was very impressive. At this time, Miss Lora Long of Vernon was confirmed as a home missionary. Miss Long has been assigned to the Virginia K. Johnson home at Dallas, and has returned to Nashville, Tenn., where she is a student in the Scarritt Bible Training school. She will receive her degree in June and return here for a visit with relatives before she takes up her duties as a home mission worker.

The local society sent Miss Long flowers and a telegram of congratulation.

Seven women attended from the Northwest Texas conference. They were, Mrs. Nat G. Rollins, of Abilene, president of the Northwest Texas Conference Missionary Society; Mrs. Gable Betts, Burton, of Clarendon, corresponding secretary of the Conference; Mrs. J. W. Rutherford, district secretary of the Stanford district; Mrs. Baker, district secretary of the Abilene district; Mrs. Louis Clement, district secretary of the Clarendon district; Mrs. O. P. Clark, secretary of the Vernon district, and Mrs. Porter of Wheeler, visitor to the general conference.

Former Vernon Citizen Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller, until recently residents of Vernon, now of Pride, Dawson county, came yesterday after the remainder of their household effects. They report that the plains country is very dry now but that they like their new home fine. They returned today.

Loves to Give



LEONARD SCHEPP

Leonard Schepp, eighty-four years old, of New York, America's "Coconut King," has started to give away his personal fortune of \$2,500,000 handing \$22,900 in one day to employees of his office. These gifts ran from \$500 to \$5,000. The bulk of his fortune will be used for building a home for boys between thirteen and eighteen, where they can be trained for a life of usefulness.

MRS. TAYLOR DIES TUESDAY

LIVED IN WILBARGER FOR SIXTEEN YEARS—BURIED WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Lenna Caroline Taylor, 71, wife of J. H. Taylor of this city, died at 2:20 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Death came after a long illness.

Mrs. Taylor was one of the old residents of Wilbarger county, having made her home here for the past sixteen years. She has reared her family here, and with only one exception all of her children and grandchildren still live in the county. The one exception, Alfred Hays, grandson, lives at Electra.

Mrs. Taylor was born in Howell County, Missouri, on March 10, 1854. She later lived in Arkansas, and moved from there to Texas.

Funeral services were held at the home of a daughter, Mrs. G. C. King, Rev. Frank McNair of Lockett, and Rev. Johnson of Harold, officiated. A long procession followed the body to East View Cemetery, where interment was made.

Survivors of the deceased are: Her husband, J. H. Taylor; two daughters, Mrs. C. L. Hays, of Hinds, and Mrs. G. C. King of Vernon; one son, M. E. Taylor, Hinds. She is also survived by nineteen grand children and three great grandchildren.

Vernon Band Prepares For C Of C Meet

With the first concert of the year given last week, the Vernon Concert Band will become active again. Director H. L. Terhune stated yesterday. Beginning with next week one concert a week will be given at the band stand. It is planned to have this concert each Friday night.

If arrangements go through for the band to make the trip to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held at Mineral Wells on May 2-5, the band will begin practicing twice a week in preparation for that trip. Mr. Terhune states that the band is ready to make the trip already. More than sixty bands will play at this convention held at Brownwood, the Vernon band was about the only band mentioned in the Brownwood papers. The band did not win the prize given to the band judged the best, however. In fact, the Vernon band did not even enter the contest due to the fact that arrangements were not made for the trip until a few days before the convention.

Mr. Terhune asks that the business men make these arrangements early this year in order that the band may prepare for the trip.

Local Markets

Chickens, per pound18c
Eggs, pr dozen25c
Butter, pr pound35c
No. 1 Wheat, pr bushel\$1.25
Cotton, middling, pound24.75
Cotton, snaps, pr pound26c

KOLP NO. 3 WAGGONER BIGGEST COMPLETION OF WEEK IN FIELD WITH ANOTHER FOR 100 BARRELS

Bridwell-Heydrick, Winnipeg, and Ray-Massie Feeling Out For Production in Deep Sand—Winnipeg No. 5 Makes Big Increase in Flow.

The completion of the McCamey-Sheerin-Lucey No. 6 Richardson for 100 barrels or more and the completion of Kolp No. 3 Waggoner on section 99, for 300 barrels were the only wells made during the past few days in the South Vernon pool. Several others, however, are on sands and testing out for probable completions before the beginning of the next week.

Operations are continuing at a rapid pace and two wells are expected to witness important developments in various parts of the field with the probability of an increase in proven area by wildcats coming in.

Winnipeg No. 6 Bond et al on section 100 is on the top of a sand at 2240 feet. The bit is being reduced to drill about 10 feet further into the sand. This is expected to be a well before the close of the week. Winnipeg No. 5 Bond et al, completed about two weeks, made an almost sensational increase in production last night. Tubing was on the rig floor ready to be run in order to begin pumping. The well had been producing only from 80 to 100 barrels. Last night there was a marked increase in pressure in the hole with stronger and more frequent heads. A gauge was made and it was discovered that the well was making at the rate of 300 barrels. For the time being, therefore, no effort will be made to pump.

Ray-Massie No. 5 Bond et al is on a promising sand at about 2350 feet. The well is spouting gas and looks good for a well. The swab was lost in the hole yesterday and this will have to be recovered before a thorough test can be made.

Bridwell-Heydrick No. 5 Dill is in a good looking formation at 2281. It is believed it will be a well within the next few days. Bridwell-Heydrick No. 7 Stephens is drilling at 2212 feet. No. 8 Stephens is drilling at 1620. Bridwell-Heydrick and Producers Petroleum No. 1 Waggoner, offsetting the Oxford on section 99, is drilling at 1900 feet.

Bridwell-Heydrick and T. & P. No. 1 Waggoner is drilling at 1700. Atlantic and Bridwell-Heydrick No. 1 Parker is drilling at 2160 feet.

Bridwell-Heydrick and T. & P. Company are moving machinery to a location on the McCarty lands on section 64 and will spud in a standard test within the next week.

Producers Petroleum will deepen their No. 3 Dill from 1800 to the 2275 stratum.

Drilling report from McCamey-Sheerin-Lucey lease follows: No. 6 Stephens, drilling at 1460; No. 7 is testing a sand topped at 1670 feet; No. 10, drilling, 1025 feet; No. 12, drilling, 1045; No. 14, spudding; No. 19, drilling 120 feet; No. 15, 16, 17, rigs and rigging up; No. 7 Richardson, a location.

Oxford No. 2 Waggoner is drilling at 1800 feet.

Kolp lease, three producers and three wells drilling, section 99. Wells-Gutherson, three producers and two wells drilling, section 99. South Vernon No. 6, Stephens, cleaning out. Eleven wells producing, ten drilling. No. 22 Stephens is drilling for gas, offsetting Bridwell-Heydrick gasser.

Drilling operations on the Waggoner estate lands are summarized as follows: Bridwell-Heydrick T. P. Sec. 104, cleaning out 50 feet off bottom at 1800 feet.

Consolidated Oil Co., Sec. 27, Pointevant survey, building derrick. Eslick Garretson, Sec. 53, about rigged up.

Everett, Sec. 29, derrick, digging pit.

E. A. Durham, Sec. 25, spudded about 40 feet and jerk line broke. M. L. V. Smith, Sec. 19 and 24, lumber on ground for derrick.

Consolidated Oil Co., Sec. 8, still rigging up.

Consolidated Oil Co., Sec. 2, drilling at 460 feet.

Eslick, Sec. 2, block 17, location, digging cellar.

Shaw-Edgar Sec. 15, derrick completed.

F. A. Beatty, Sec. 47, drilling at 900 feet.

McKenna, Sec. 31, building derrick.

McKenna, Sec. 48, spudded about 50 feet.

METHODISTS TO RALLY SUNDAY

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING TO BE HELD AT TOLBERT CHURCH

A Methodist revival meeting will be held here beginning April 5, according to Rev. Charles A. Bickley, who will have charge of the services. Thorough preparations have been made. All committees have been appointed far in advance in an effort to make this one of the greatest revivals ever held in Vernon. It is planned to continue the meeting through ten days.

Arrangements have been made at the church for the meeting. R. J. Kennedy of Dallas has been placed in charge of the choir. He will also be in charge of the young people's work.

Committees which have been appointed are:

General Committee—U. S. Davis, Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, J. L. Swartwood and Mrs. J. H. Watts.

Music—Dr. Y. H. Babash, J. W. Brock, Jr., E. H. Martin, Mrs. W. L. Rhodes and Mrs. Roy McContho. Personal Work—J. A. Harrington, Mrs. W. C. Andrews, R. D. L. Killough, W. T. Cribbs, Mrs. J. A. Carney and Keith Pigg.

Cottage Prayer Meetings—Mrs. J. N. Johnson, Mrs. C. J. Farrell, Mrs. M. L. Bird, Mrs. L. E. McCurdy and Mrs. U. S. Davis.

Young Peoples Work—Mrs. L. D. Terrell, Miss Jessie Milner, Z. A. Williamson and G. L. Taylor.

To Work With Juniors—Mrs. E. H. Pigg, Miss Lizzie Reese and Mrs. Leon Brown.

Publicity—R. H. Smith, R. H. Nichols and G. W. Backus.

Finance—R. H. Nichols, E. H. Pigg, P. M. McKinley and W. H. Stephens.

Revival Here Conducted By Childress Man

Rev. R. A. White of Childress is conducting a revival meeting for the Christian church this week. Attendance at the meeting has been good throughout the week. Much interest has been shown in the work.

Rev. White will conduct services until Sunday night, at which time the meeting will be brought to a close. Subjects for the remainder of the meeting are as follows:

Friday night, "Necessity of Death of Christ."

Saturday night, "The Forces That Make Us."

Sunday morning, "The Memorial." Sunday night, "Man."

Castlebury Returns.

R. L. Castlebury has returned from a trip of ten days to the Rio Grande Valley and other points in South Texas. A drought prevails throughout Texas, he said, with the exception of some of the country in South Texas, which was visited by a rain a few days ago. Crops are late everywhere, he said, except in the irrigated sections of the Valley.

Attends Feed School.

R. J. Byars with Martin-Lane Company has just returned from Fort Worth, where he attended the Purina Feed school and the Purina Dealers Convention. While there Mr. Byars learned the proper way to feed all livestock as taught by the Purina experts.

about 250 feet but been shut down last few days.

Magnolia, Sec. 59, drilling at 800 feet.

Knight-Hines, Sec. 4, drilling at 1340 feet.

Wells, Sec. 21, cleaning out cavings bottom, 1049 feet.

McLester Oil Co., Sec. 20, rigging up.

Atlantic, Sec. 51, drilling at 620 feet.

Morton-Ley, Sec. 51, drilling at 1090 feet.

Gulf, Sec. 5, cleaning out at 1080 feet.

Humble, Sec. 53, about 25 feet off bottom at 2026 feet.

Burton-Ruff, Sec. 49, since being shut down since the 19th, now trying to shut off water.

"Married Flirts" Coming Monday To Pictorium

"Married Flirts," a screen production of the Louis Joseph Vance novel, "Mrs. Parham," which comes to the Pictorium Monday and Tuesday, made at the same time the novel was published. In fact, the picture was released and came out simultaneously with the book.

Robert G. Vignola directed the film production, which tells a smart, brilliantly acted story of the ultra-modern restless, half-lie social set. The complications, which are many, are said to be handled with great ingenuity.

Pauline Frederick plays the title role; Conrad Nagel appears as Percy Rex; Mae Busch is cast as Jill Wetherell and Hurdley Gordon as Paul Wayne. Patterson Dial and Paul Nicholson also have two important parts.

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"Sundown" Great Western At The Vernon 2 Days

"Sundown," famous Western epic

is coming to the Vernon Theatre Monday and Tuesday of next week. Six thrilling months were spent in filming the great Western. Months of dust and heat on the sun baked plains of Texas and Arizona. Thousand of smiling cattle were used.

The story of "Sundown," tells of the passing of the old West. A group of gentlemen gather and discuss the encroachment of home-steaders who have been allotted quiet sections of land by the government. These "nesters," as the gentlemen call them, are gradually crowding them out, leaving them little or no room for grazing their immense herds. A committee confers with Theodore Roosevelt, president at that time, but is informed that "nothing can stop the onrush of civilization."

Returning to their homes the gentlemen decide that they must seek new pastures, and with their hearts breaking they gather their vast herds and make the last and greatest drive in the history of the world into Old Mexico. A horse that figures greatly in the filming of the play was purchased by Roy Stewart for \$500 just as he was being led away to be shot. With care and training he became the best horse of the round-up. Watch for him, and he is branded "T" on the left shoulder.

"Sundown" is from an original screen story by Earl Hindson. The principal players are: Bessie Love, Robert G. Vignola, Roy Stewart, Charlie Murray, Joe Austin, Charles Crockett, Wilfred North, Charles Sellon, Arthur Hoyt, Mary M. Wade.

BAKER NEWS.

Rev. Frank McNair of Lockett filled his appointment here Sunday afternoon. There was quite a crowd out to hear him. He will preach again the second Sunday in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Pascini and children attended church in Oklahoma Sunday and also took dinner with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Paschall.

Miss Tina and Gracie Brewster spent the day Sunday with Miss Lena Steitz of Vernon.

There will be singing at Baker

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Everybody invited to come.

The five children of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Lee are ill at this writing.

Roy and Otto Strange of Cleburne came Saturday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wheeler.

Miss Mattie Wheeler visited her cousin, Miss Annie Boswell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Brewster spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steitz of Vernon.

Misses Roxie and Inal Hammonds, Pearl Stephens, Bonnie Lou Gilchrist, Annie Baswell, Roy Gilchrist, Floyd Likly, John Gilchrist and Homer Brown all attended P. Y. P. U. and church at Lockett Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stephens and children, William and Margie, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Charida, and son, Willard, all visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephens, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Likly, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bess, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davidson, were among those who attended the play at Lockett school house Friday night.

Comedie Dale of Rayland visited Jessie Rector part of the past week.

John Gilchrist attended the track meet at Chillicothe Saturday.

Miss Obara Matthews of Tolbert spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Lee and Velma Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bess visited Mr. and Mrs. James Copeland Sunday.

G. N. Thiers, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Wiseman, Mrs. C. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Chester Thompson, and Buster Baker were among the visitors to Vernon from here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer S. Hite of Tolbert visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wheeler on Monday.

Mr. Gilliland, the principal at Baker school, has resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilchrist and Grandma Steitz spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stephens.

Miss Edna Dale of Rayland spent Friday night with Miss Viola Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Combs of Vernon visited the latter's parents, Mr.

and Mrs. C. H. Thompson, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan James, who live north of Vernon, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Arrington the past week.

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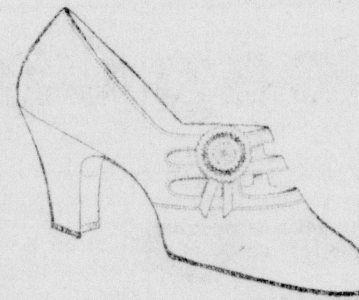
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FIRE DESTROYS OLD DWELLING

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A fire which broke out in an upstairs closet early Monday morning completely destroyed the two-story home of J. C. McCrummen about three miles northwest of Fargo, Mr. McCrummen and one little son were slightly burned. The little boy's hair and face were burned before he was rescued by his father. Other members of the family escaped unharmed. Very little of the furniture was saved. Nothing was insured.

It is not known what caused the fire. It was first discovered early Monday morning. With the exception of the father and one daughter, the family was still in bed when the discovery was made. The fire had evidently been smoldering for some time. It had gained too much

headway when discovered to be extinguished with the scant equipment at hand.

The boys were sleeping in the room adjoining the closet in which the fire started. Mr. McCrummen received his burns when he rushed up to awaken them.

The house was one of the oldest in the county. It is best known as the Goodpasture house. It has been standing for more than twenty years.

Mr. McCrummen has already started construction on another home. The new house will be a six-room bungalow.

ODELL NEWS.

Winie Daniels has been mending the phone lines east of here the past week.

Miss Verdi Sihner, who has been teaching here in Mrs. Ellen Tombs' place on account of her being ill, has returned to her home in Vernon.

Mrs. W. L. Jenkins, who has been visiting in Gasoline, returned home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon McDougal and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Nora Cook.

The declamation contest was held

here in the school auditorium Friday morning. The winners were as follows: Juniors: Miss Armavens Stringer won first place, Mary Shelton second place, Clova Lila Smith, third place; Seniors: Miss Gladys Bratcher won first place, Madeline Smith second place, Opal McDougal third place. The judges came from Chillum.

Rev. W. L. Jenkins left Tuesday morning for Paducah to attend district conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bratcher of Vera, returned home after a short visit with the latter's brother, C. E. Bratcher, and family.

G. W. Bury is driving a new Dodge sedan.

There was an ordination of new deacons for the Baptist church Monday night. The Odell orchestra furnished music.

A. L. Stringer was in Vernon Tuesday morning.

Quarterly conference will be held at Odell Saturday, March 28.

Hubert H. Bratcher, who is teaching school at Fargo, spent the week-end with home folks.

Opal McDougal was unable to attend school Monday on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bury were shopping in Vernon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White and

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dennis and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed White.

Miss Lura Killingsworth of Pueblo who is visiting here, spent Sunday with Misses Vera and Myrtle Cook.

Several from here attended singing at Tolbert Sunday afternoon.

Rev. W. L. Jenkins preached at Jackson Springs Sunday afternoon.

Miss Velma Bell spent Sunday with Miss Morene Hite.

Miss Abbie Starr, who has been ill, is able to teach again.

The Domestic Art girls with a few boys are practicing on a play to be given soon.

KATHERINE JEAN HARDISON
HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Katherine Jean Hardison, tiny daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hardison was complimented with a pretty party Monday afternoon by her mother at their home on Texas street.

The little girl's friends had been invited to help her celebrate her second birthday. Many beautiful toys and other gifts were received, and games were played.

The eggs given were pink Easter eggs. Ice cream and cake was served to the following: Gladys Wright, Sammie June Porterfield, Sarah Margaret Robinson, Virginia and Betty Winston, Joe Ann Norwood, Sybil Coffee, Howard Heath, Jr., Harris Jean Lovelace, W. T. Berry, Jr., Harry Babasin, Porter Stinnett, Jr., Dan Abbott, Neal Carney, Frank Hood, Jr.

Mrs. J. D. Peeler and sons, Glenn, and Raymond, were Vernon visitors Saturday.

STUDENTS OF JUNIOR HIGH TO STAGE SALE

The Junior High School will conduct a sale at the Massie-Vernon Grocery and Piggly Wiggly on March 28, beginning at 1 p. m. The sale will be for the purpose of raising funds to be put to miscellaneous uses at the high school.

Pies, cakes and chickens will be sold. Girls of the school are going to bake the cakes, and the boys will furnish the chickens. 7 cakes, 6 pies, and 24 dressed chickens will be offered for sale.

SPECIAL MUSIC AT METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

Special music will again be a feature of the program at the Methodist Sunday school, Sunday. The Sunday school orchestra will give two numbers and Mrs. Y. H. Babasin will sing.

For several weeks, the drive for new members for the Sunday school has been carried on with gratifying results. The goal of 1,000 is set for Sunday by the committee in charge of the airplane flight and from all indications the high record will be attained.

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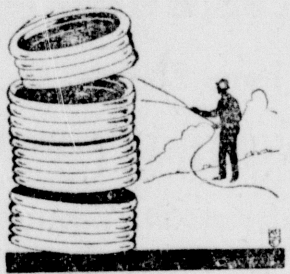
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MORE RAIL CONSIDERATION.

Affairs are moving at a rapid rate in the railroad world. Several important consolidations and extensions were recently announced involving a number of important systems and branch lines. An entirely new project is now in process of being worked out whereby it is proposed for the Santa Fe to take over the Katy System and the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf. The consummation of this deal would mean the entrance of a third big system into the lower Rio Grande Valley. The Southern Pacific by the acquisition of the S. A. & A. P. and the Missouri Pacific through the purchase of the Gulf Coast, the Texas-Mexican line and the I. & G. N. have become competitors in the rapidly developing Valley country.

The proposed purchase of the Katy and the Sausage by the Santa Fe would tap two important centers, not now served by the Santa Fe, San Antonio and St. Louis and afford entrance into the Valley. Another move, which is of more local interest, announced by the Santa Fe is the construction of a line out of Plainview, northeast to Silverton, and another northwest from Plainview to Friona on the main line. This is taken as the answer of the Santa Fe to the threatened extension of the Fort Worth & Denver from Estelline into the South Plains country by way of Silverton. The proposed extension of the Denver would be of immediate advantage to Vernon because it would provide direct communication with the South Plains, enabling Vernon shippers to get business which is not now available due to the necessity of going through Amarillo.

These developments point unmistakably to the beginning of an era of expansion and improvement of rail facilities in Texas. It is coming through the competition of the big systems and the absorption of weaker lines into the great railway systems. It will insure to the benefit of Texas shippers and hasten development which has long been retarded, largely because many of our so-called statesmen in Texas have thought it wise to harass and hamper railroad operation as much as possible.

The acquisition of the Katy by the Santa Fe might open possibilities for Vernon, especially if the Santa Fe and Denver stage their prospective fight for the South Plains business. The Katy is now in Wichita Falls and if that line were taken over by the Santa Fe, a logical way of retaliating for the entrance of the Denver into the South Plains would be for the Santa Fe to extend into Vernon through Electric in order to get a share of the oil business. The South Vernon field is an attractive source of freight business. Its stability is assured and the Denver has been notoriously slow in providing ample trackage and switching facilities to take care of the business.

It is somewhat significant that rail developments in Texas, practically stopped under state control, are being revived under the Esch-Cummins law, which practically gives the Interstate Commerce Commission control of railroad affairs.

A VICTOR FOR THE HIGHWAY SYSTEM.

The Supreme Court this week in denying a motion for rehearing in the case from Limestone county attacking the validity of the State Highway Act has finally and definitely settled the effort to have this law set aside, or at least that portion of it which permitted the Highway Department to spend automobile tax money outside of the county in which originated and empowered the Commission to take over the improvement and maintenance of those roads which form a part of the state highway system.

There is cause for congratulation in the outcome of this litigation for several reasons. The chief one, of course, is that it removes all doubt as to the legal authority of the state to lay out and improve a system of roads. Another cause for gratifica-

tion is that the validity of this law means that Texas will continue to participate in the distribution of Federal road funds. So long as state control remained in doubt Federal aid was jeopardized. A third reason is that it will end so far as the law is concerned the controversy of which is the proper unit for internal improvements, the county or the state.

Any one who has given any consideration to the road building problem must have long since been convinced that the vital point in highway improvement is a connected system that begins somewhere and leads to somewhere else. Construction of roads with the county as the unit in the present period of a highly developed motorized transportation system is as absurd as a county railway system would be. The value of improved roads in Wilbarger county is determined to a very large extent by whether they are connected with similar improved roads in adjoining counties.

With all legal questions resolved in favor of the construction of a connected system of highways in Texas it is no idle dream to vision motor trips on pavement from Texarkana to El Paso and from Texarkana to Brownsville in the not distant future. Those who delude themselves that such a project can be stopped or seriously checked are as foolish as the ancients who sacrificed their children to appease the wrath of the rain god in an effort to end a severe drought.

RED VALLEY NEWS.

Rev. Mr. Jenkins preached at the Pleasant Valley chapel Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Gladys Bratcher spent Sunday with Miss Opal McDougal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Morris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Redwine of Vernon.

Mrs. S. E. Floyd is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lee Coffey, of White City.

Miss Luna Killingsworth spent Sunday with Misses Vera and Myrtle Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bell and family and Rev. Jenkins and sons, and Robert Floyd spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hite and family.

H. N. McDougal had the misfortune to lose about five hundred pounds of meat Wednesday night. He was fortunate to find the thief and recover his meat after quite a chase.

Miss Cecil Ratliff spent Friday night with Miss Jessie Morris.

The try-out for the declamation contest was held Friday. Junior boys: Aubrey Bell, first; Clifton Cook, second; and Wayne Bell, third place; Junior girls: Jessie Morris, first; Beatrice Rodgers, second and Opal Mae Turner, third. Judges were: Mr. and Mrs. Stringer and Miss Kirtley of Odell.

Miss Lula Ammons spent Saturday night with Miss Krickett Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wright returned Sunday from Louisiana.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lyles and Barney Deason of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cook and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyd and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hite and baby visited in the S. E. Floyd home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Beatrice Rodgers spent Monday night with Miss Jessie Morris.

WILDCAT NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Key and Frank Key visited in Vernon last Sunday. Mr. Scott's family has returned from East Texas and Oklahoma where they have been visiting the past two weeks.

Mrs. Buford Luttrell visited Mrs. Martin at Oklaunion last Tuesday. Mr. Vaughn has two boys who are

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Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Patton of Dallas are here visiting her mother, Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand and family. Quite a number of the Wildcat people attended Grandma Holland's funeral last Sunday evening.

Everett Yearby and son, Le Roy of Elliott, spent Saturday night and Sunday with I. G. Luttrell and family.

Miss Johnnie Hamby of Vernon spent the week-end with Miss Annie Nunn.

Marion Gossett and son, Shelton of Taylor, Texas, spent Saturday night with I. G. Luttrell and family.

Homer and Joe Scott and Mrs. Glover, went to Lubbock last Friday to visit their brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bolton of Rayland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nunn and family Sunday.

Those who attended the quarter-

ly conference from Wildcat at El-

Hott last Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. John Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Hildebrand and Miss Maud Hildebrand and Herman Patton.

Misses Bertha and Bessie Kitchens have returned home after a long visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Henry of Jackson Springs.

Elbert Gamble visited at Antelope last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patton visited her brother, J. C. Colbert in Electric last week.

Mr. Lack and family of Tolbert attended prayer meeting at Wildcat Sunday.

M. M. Patton and family of Midway visited in the Wildcat community Sunday.

L. E. Wright and H. S. Starr of Vernon visited I. G. Luttrell Monday.

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Walter McElroy, student in A. & M. college and former resident of Vernon, is spending the Easter holidays with friends here.

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DOCKET CLEARED EARLY IN
WEEK—WORK ON DIVORCES
AND DISABILITIES

Divorces have featured the work of the district court here this week. Six separations were granted, one was refused, and several were continued. A number of other cases were continued.

Divorces were granted in the cases of: Minnie Lee Patterson vs. Joe Patterson; Dama May Griffith vs. Perry Griffiths; John Bellue vs. Alice Bellue; Allie Floyd vs. Raymond Floyd; Sam L. Brandon vs. Leoda Brandon; Minnie Mae Webb vs. H. F. Webb. The case of Allen Adams vs. Rosa Lee Adams was dismissed.

Three disability cases came before the court, and disabilities were removed. Those having disabilities removed were: Puel C. Kincheloe, W. B. Dyer, and Raymond C. Spears.

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CRISIS ON GOLD REVALUATION OF GERMAN BONDS

The past week has brought an important change in the German political and financial situation. With the death of President Ebert, Germany has lost one of her strongest men, but she has also lost one of the opponents of large re-valuation payments. We understand a re-valuation bill was ready for passing the week Ebert died, and that this bill was a compromise between Chancellor Luther's 25 per cent idea and President Ebert's more conservative plans.

But now that Ebert is dead, and Luther automatically assumes the office of President as well as Chancellor, he and his party are practically in full control of the situation, and may be expected to lose no time in rushing through the long-expected legislation necessary to start the making of gold payments to holders of German Government, State, City and other paper-mark bonds, for both the glory and profit of those in control of the Government's financial affairs.

It is therefore with a great deal of assurance that we look forward to some definite announcements regarding gold payments in the next few weeks, especially since the last few days have been featured by a sudden deluge of buying orders from Germany for the leading paper-mark bonds for the account of "unnamed buyers." This buying and the buying of others who are realizing the situation may soon exhaust the small floating supply of these bonds and start the big advance long before any gold payments are actually made.

The German bond market is at hair-trigger tension—even a rumor may start it soaring and for that reason American buyers cannot afford to lose a day in laying by as large a supply of the leading German bonds while they can still be obtained at these remarkable prices. Definite statements have been issued by the Government that re-valuation and gold-payments will be made—these announcements are expected almost any day—Protect yourself on the huge profits possible by buying a large block of German bonds now while they are cheap.—Wall Street Review. The

At the Churches

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. We are planning an interesting program. The High school quartet will sing. We want every Presbyterian and every one who will to study the Bible with us Sunday morning. Some new classes will be formed.

Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject: "A New Kind of Revival." At 7:45 the pastor will speak on the subject of being "The Man Who Had No Friend."

Beautiful music, both morning and evening. We worship God in a simple way. We present the truth in a simple way. Our aim is to help all who come to this church, and its big doors are open to everybody who will come to its hour of worship.

E. L. MOORE.

Methodist Church.

Services at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. R. D. L. Killough, Superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Morning subject: "The Atonement and the Revival." Evening subject: "Did Christ Rise From the Dead?"

Special music at these services. Epworth Leagues will meet at 6:45 p. m.

Missionary Society Monday, 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Thursday, 7:45 p. m.

Revival meeting begins the first Sunday in April.

Come and worship with us. You will be made to feel welcome.

C. A. BICKLEY, Pastor.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Morning services in the German language at 10:30.

Evening services in the English language at 7:30. Subject "It Is Finished."

Bible study Wednesday evening at 8.

Choir practice Thursday evening.

J. A. BIRNBAUM, Pastor.

First Baptist Church.

9:45 a. m.—Bible School. A place and a welcome for all.

11 a. m.—Preaching by the pastor.

6:30 p. m.—B. Y. P. U. Three unions, Senior, Intermediate and Junior.

7:30 p. m.—The pastor will preach. To all the worship of the day, a cordial invitation is extended to the public. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

E. F. LYON, Pastor.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The following program of special music will be given at the Presbyterian church, both services, Sunday:

Morning service.

Prelude.

Antiphon, "The Lord Will Comfort Zion." Choir.

Duet, by Mrs. E. H. Gipson and Mrs. W. C. Casper.

Offertory.

Solo, "Face to Face," Mrs. O. T. Gilmore.

Postlude.

Evening service:

Prelude.

Chorus, "The Whole Wide World For Jesus." Choir.

Offertory.

Antiphon, "Just As I Am." Choir.

Postlude.

Epworth Leagues.

All Epworth Leagues of the Methodist church will meet at 6:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the church.

A splendid program has been arranged with Keith Pigg as leader. Promotions to the Intermediate and Senior leagues will be made at this time. A cordial invitation is extended to members of all three leagues and others who desire to become members to be present.

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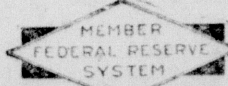
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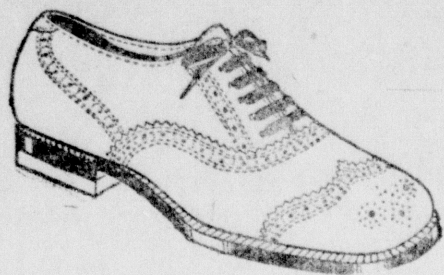
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METHODISTS TO HAVE REVIVAL

MEETING WILL START APRIL 5—REV. BICKLEY TO CONDUCT SERVICES

The Methodist Churches on Tolbert Circuit have designated next Sunday as the date for the Fifth Sunday Rally Day Meeting to be held at the Tolbert Methodist Church. A program has been arranged and one of the outstanding leaders of Texas Methodism will take part in the meeting.

Dr. George S. Slover, president of Clarendon college and publisher of the Texas Christian Advocate and Mrs. Gable Betts Burton, also of Clarendon, will appear on the program.

Mrs. Burton is a former resident of the county and taught in the public schools for years here. She is a prominent worker in the Northwest Texas conference and holds the office of corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society of that conference.

The program as it has been worked out follows:

10 a. m.—Song service, 15 minutes.

Mr. Wayne Lawson, choir director, Miss Annie Reynolds, Pianist.

10 a. m.—The Methodist Church and Missions—Mrs. Gable Betts Burton.

Duet—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawson.

11 a. m.—Sermon, Christian Education—Dr. George S. Slover.

12 noon—Lunch served by the Methodist ladies of Tolbert Circuit.

1 p. m.—Significance of the Laymen's Movement—George W. Backus, district lay leader.

1:30 p. m.—Christian Stewardship—R. H. Nichols.

Duet—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawson.

2 p. m.—Evangelism—Dr. C. A. Bickley.

Benediction—Dr. G. S. Slover.

MRS. BUCHANAN'S FATHER DIES AT PORT ARTHUR

Mrs. C. R. Buchanan received a message Friday announcing the death of her father, James S. Murrell, 71, prominent merchant of Port Arthur, who died at Hotel Dieu, at 8:15 o'clock, Friday evening. Funeral services were held at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ed Goodwin, 297 Madison street, at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. C. T. Talley officiated and burial took place in Magnolia cemetery under the auspices of the Masons.

Mr. Murrell is survived by six daughters, Mrs. George McGriff, Argo, Ind.; Mrs. Charles Buchanan, Vernon, Texas; Mrs. Walker Jordan, Beaumont; Mrs. Bertha Davis, Beaumont; and Mrs. H. M. Coates, Indianapolis, Ind.; two sons, J. T. Murrell, Indianapolis, and L. L. Murrell, Beaumont; three sisters, Mrs. Billie Russell, Dickson, Tenn.; Mrs. Mamie Kirkpatrick, Nashville, Tenn.; and Mrs. T. Martin, Dixon, Texas; and one brother, Will M. Murrell, Sweetwater, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawkins have returned from a visit with relatives at Cleburne.

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TO CONDUCT METHODIST REVIVAL IN VERNON



Rev. Charles W. Bickley, local Methodist minister, who will have charge of revival meeting to begin here April 5.

THALIA NEWS.

Rev. O. P. Clark of Vernon preached at the Methodist church here Sunday morning. Quarterly conference was held at the church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. J. M. Fuller preached a very fine sermon. Rev. T. M. Johnston filled the pulpit Sunday night. Large crowds attended each service.

C. H. Wood, Gus and Alex Neill, and E. G. Grimley, attended a baseball game in Wichita Falls Friday evening.

Lawrence Kinsey and wife of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Shaw Sunday afternoon.

George Key and Mr. Rhoads of Vernon attended church here Sunday morning.

Rev. Charles J. Marts of Truscott attended quarterly conference at the Methodist church here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Wood and children left Sunday for an extended visit with relatives at Dallas and Denton.

Rev. T. M. Johnston preached at the M. E. Church in Vernon Sunday morning.

Mrs. Mary Thomas and son, Coyt, of Duncan, Okla., and daughter, Mrs. Joe Armstrong and children, of Wichita Falls, visited Mrs. Thomas's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wood and other relatives of this place a few days last week.

Frank Matthews and son, Elbert, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Boyd, Mrs. T. H. Matthews, Will Johnson and family were visitors in Crowell Saturday.

Miss Winnie Short underwent an operation for appendicitis in a sanitarium in Vernon Friday. She is reported to be doing nicely.

J. H. Ayres and wife, H. Hunt and wife, John Wesley and family, Mr. Ross and wife, Alvin Hysinger and Miss Tommie Monks of Margaret and J. M. Fuller and wife of Crowell attended the quarterly conference here Sunday afternoon.

Brown Franklin came in Thursday from Wichita, Kansas, where he has been attending a business college.

Jesse Miller and family and Bill Keese left Sunday for a business trip to Plainview.

Mrs. L. H. Bell and daughter of Minter, visited her aunt, Mrs. Williams, of this place, a few days last week.

S. T. Bowman and family of Margaret attended church here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fisher visited relatives in Stamford, Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Reid is visiting relatives in Vernon this week.

Ted Solomon went to Iowa Park Sunday. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. E. M. Solomon, who will visit here a few days.

Miss Ruth Haney is visiting with friends in Denton this week.

Mrs. Naomi Harbin of near Fort Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. K. Langley, this week.

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MRS. ROBERTSON HOSTESS TO W. C. T. U. THURSDAY

Mrs. L. E. Robertson was hostess yesterday afternoon to members of the W. C. T. U. at her home on Fannin street. Quite a number of guests were present and the program was enjoyed.

Several needed reforms were discussed and Mrs. B. C. Wood, chairman of evangelistic work called a meeting to be held at the county jail, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The hostess served delicious refreshments.

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RENFRO FINISHES WORK AT STATE UNIVERSITY

Curtis Renfro recently returned from Austin after completing his work in the University of Texas. He will return to Austin in May to receive his degree.

Mr. Renfro did the almost impossible by completing a four-year university course in two and a half years. He will receive his bachelor's degree in business administration in June. Later, he intends to complete his education in one of the northern universities.

OKLAUNION MAN DIES AT DALLAS AFTER OPERATION

R. W. Smith of Oklaunion died in a Dallas sanitarium at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon after an operation had been performed. Mr. Smith had been in a serious condition for more than four months.

The body arrived in Vernon this morning and was carried to the family home at Oklaunion, where funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Huckleberry will officiate. Interment will be made in the Oklaunion cemetery.

Survivors are: Wife, Mrs. Jennie Smith; three daughters, Mayree, Ida Lee, Ella; three sons, Ramon, Jim, Billie.

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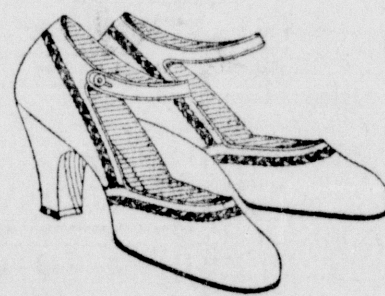
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